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"EIRE NOT FOR SALE"—*TAOISEACH*

DENIAL OF SECRET BARGAINS

MR. DE VALERA, at Navan yesterday, denied rumours that he had made any secret bargain, or that he had recently been in any other country.

They in Eire, he said, had adhered honestly to their policy, and the people ought to have no doubt in their minds about it.

There have been rumours about bargains, he said. "There is no bargain. When the war started there was not an inch of their national territory for sale, and he hoped that that would be sufficient for the people.

"We will defend ourselves from attack from any quarter," he added. "We did, and are doing, our best to get arms. What arms we can get we will get, it being understood that these arms are to be used to defend our territory against any aggressor, no matter who that may be."

Replying to attacks in "foreign newspapers," Mr. de Valera said that what they were doing was their God-given right to do. They had laid down their policy very clearly from the beginning, and they intended not to enter the war if they could possibly avoid it. Please God, they would avoid it unless they were attacked, and, if they were attacked, they would defend themselves.

"VIOLENT" ARTICLES

Referring to attacks in the "foreign Press," Mr. de Valera said: "This country at different times since the war began has been the subject of violent articles in different newspapers in foreign countries. All sorts of suggestions are being made. Everything that could be said to inflame other people against us is being used. You do not see these things, because we have adopted a policy not to let into the newspapers anything that would go to stir up bitterness and ill-feeling. In accordance with our policy of neutrality and of trying to keep down ill-feeling between countries, there are articles which you have not seen, and, therefore, when I speak of certain things you are not as aware as I am of what is happening and being said in other countries; but the time is coming when we may have to change our policy in that respect.

"If these newspaper attacks are a prelude to hostile action against us, then we would not be fair to our own people if we did not let them see and give them warning that these statements are there.

"I know of the attacks upon this country. Now we have no need to excuse ourselves to anybody. What we are doing is our God-given right to do. We have laid down our policy very clearly from the beginning, and that is that we intend not to enter into this war if we can possibly avoid it, and we will avoid it, please God, unless we are attacked. If we are attacked, we have to take it as God's will and sell our lives, if we have to sell them, as dearly as we can."

TO SAVE THE NATION

Mr. de Valera said that if he talked to his people he could end a lot of the apathy that existed. He believed that the people would fight for their rights just as well to-day as they fought in the past, but he had not tried to do that. He had tried, as far as he possibly could, to keep public opinion calm, but he did want the young people, when he asked them in calm terms to come along and offer themselves for the defence of the country and to train themselves for it, to take that advice and know that it was given for one purpose only—to save the nation. He hoped that appeal would be listened to.

Mr. de Valera said that he thought it most unlikely that this was going to be a short war. "I think," he said, "that it is going to be a comparatively long war, and, therefore, we must plan for a number of successive works of emergency. I would be greatly surprised if this war is likely to be concluded within three years from now. I hope I am completely wrong in my guess.

"There are people from various places watching what is going on in this country. We are under constant observation, and if there should appear to be any doubt that the young people of this country are going to defend themselves against attack, you are inviting attack."

Mr. de Valera appealed to turf-producers to put all their output on the market, and to burn any substitute they could, such as old timber, which was not so readily saleable.

APPEAL TO FARMERS

Appealing to farmers to grow as much winter wheat as possible, Mr. de Valera said that there was no likelihood of imports of wheat. Because of their agricultural surplus, some people thought there was no danger of a food shortage. It was true that the country produced food of a variety of types, but to make all these foods available to all classes of the community would be extremely difficult. The people of the cities and towns were now in the front-line trenches, and he called on the people as a whole to stand by them. To ration bread would be very difficult, and all they could do would be done to avoid it.

This year they would need 650,000 acres of wheat, 150,000 more than last year. Scientific experiment had shown that wheat was one of the lightest crops as regarded its drain of land fertility, and the experts had said that they could grow wheat on good soil two or three years in succession if necessary. He depended on farmers with rich land, such as that of Meath, to increase their acreage of wheat. The land would stand it. This was a time when they were justified in using the reserves of fertility in the land. They had more than 650,000 acres this year under manured crops, and wheat could be put into that manured land.

As regarded the failure of some farmers to do their duty, Mr. de Valera said that the Minister for Agriculture had powers which he intended to use. After January 14 the Minister had power to go on to land not sufficiently tilled and see that it produced the crops. The situation was too serious to allow of delinquencies being taken lightly. He asked farmers to eat less bread and to substitute other foods, mainly potatoes, for it.

Asking for a 50,000 acres increase in the potato crop, he said that from the food value point of view potatoes were the best of all crops to grow. They required a total of 2,850,000 acres under tillage.

They should have had 290,000 tons of millable wheat from the 401,000 acres sown, but they were far short of that. He wondered if farmers were keeping it for themselves in unnecessarily large quantities. They could not expect much more to come in, so they were immediately up against a difficult situation in regard to bread.

The most important thing in time of danger was the Army. It should embrace all the young people able to serve.

"You are not in the war, but you are threatened," he said. "Your position threatens you. It is a constant threat, and there is only one safeguard—to be prepared to defend yourself against any aggressor." The young men should join the forces now for training.

WARNING AGAINST RUMOURS

Mr. de Valera said he wanted to warn the people against rumours. Rumours, he said, like the articles in the foreign papers, were very busy from time to time. "I have been wondering," he said, "whether they start spontaneously, or whether there is not some group or other who try to set them going.

People should beware of those who spread rumours, and should ask what purpose these people might have in passing them on.

Mr. de Valera said that he was supposed, according to rumour, to have been in two countries recently—even to have crossed the Atlantic—but the fact was that he had been in his office every day for the past month, just as he was before.

NO BARGAINS

"There are rumours being spread about bargains," he went on. "Now, there are no bargains. When this war started I said there was no inch of our national territory for sale, and I hope that that will be sufficient for our people. Our policy has been this—that we will defend ourselves against attack from any quarter. Many years ago I said that we would not allow this land of ours to be used as a basis of attack against Britain, and when the Volunteers were being formed in 1934 I asked our people to realise that we were starting it because we did not want anybody to have the excuse that we were not able to defend ourselves, and that, therefore, they should try to defend us—that we would have men on our own territory who could defend it better than anybody else could defend it. We did our best to try to get arms, and we are doing our best, and all the arms that we can get we will get. Let it be understood that these arms are to be used to defend our territory against any aggressor, no matter who the aggressor may be. That is the open policy. There is no secret one. There are no secret bargains of any kind. I hope that will end some of these rumours that I am told are being circulated in recent times."

The fact that they could see danger, Mr. de Valera went on, was no reason why they should be afraid of it. He wanted the country to see the danger so that they could take the necessary measures to avert it. One of the newspaper articles to which he had referred spoke of the people of this country as starving and about economic advantages and so on. He could tell these people that we would not starve.

In a later reference to the foreign newspaper articles, Mr. de Valera said he wanted it clearly to be understood that he was referring to newspaper articles only; there had been no pressure from governments.

NO NEW BRITISH APPROACH

FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT.

I am informed on good authority that no new proposals for the use of the naval and air bases in Eire have been submitted by the British Government to the Government of Eire.

Neither was the flying visit which Mr. J. M. Andrews, Northern Ireland Premier, paid to Whitehall last week associated in any way with the Eire bases. There are no immediate indications that the entry of America into the war has caused any change in Mr. de Valera's policy.

At the United States Embassy the Press Officer said they knew nothing about any United States request for the bases.

LOWER ESTIMATE FOR GRANGEGORMAN

PROPOSED SAVING OF £5,708

A saving of £5,708 is proposed in the draft estimate and demand for 1942-43 of the Grangegorman Mental Hospital which will be presented to the next meeting of the Joint Committee. The net demand is £283,790. Of this sum £218,450, a decrease of £5,640, is sought from Dublin city; £40,005 (an increase of £32) from Dublin county, and £25,334, a decrease of £100, from County Wicklow. These demands are based on the numbers of patients resident during the eight months ended November 30, which were:—Dublin city, 2,727; Dublin county, 508, and County Wicklow, 310; a total of 3,545.

A table giving the variations in price of some of the institution's principal supplies between 1939 and 1941 shows that the price of rice has increased by 912 per cent., peas 144 per cent., eggs 150 per cent., currants 110 per cent., beef 45 per cent., men's braces 243 per cent., calico 51 per cent., flannelette 72 per cent., frieze 69 per cent., coke 132 per cent., steel hinges 179 per cent., flooring 171 per cent., turpentine 901 per cent., blankets 57 per cent., cotton quilts 86 per cent.

An Taoiseach (Mr. de Valera) speaking yesterday. Included are: Mr. J. Kelly, T.D.; Mr. F. MacCabe, T.D.; Mr. A. P. Fitzsimons and Mr. W. Walsh (Urban District Council).

RED ARMY STILL ADVANCING

MANY SETTLEMENTS RECAPTURED

THE Red Army yesterday reported advances on all sectors of the Western front, with 157 settlements retaken in the last three days. The tempo of the pursuit was said to be increasing.

Red Star said that in the Southern section of Moscow front a large but unnamed city had been completely encircled with two German regiments and a tank group trapped.

German radio stated that the Red Army launched five attacks against the German lines at Volokolamsk on the railway from Moscow to Rzhev, and lost five tanks.

Commenting on the fighting on the Russian front, German radio said: "In spite of considerable Russian superiority and the severe cold, our troops continue to resist the many Russian attacks tenaciously and are throwing the enemy back."

It was stated that Brigadier-General Richard Hermann, Commander of an S.S. brigade, was killed in action on the Eastern front on December 27.

REINFORCEMENTS

The Germans are reported to be massing reinforcements near the Eastern front, making enormous preparations for a spring offensive. Ankara Radio said that three new classes had been called up, with a total of between 700,000 and 800,000 men. Troops were also reported to have been withdrawn from some occupied countries.—(Associated Press.)

FEAR OF PLAGUE

BERNE, Monday.—To the anxieties aroused by "almost abnormal weather difficulties" the German High Command has to add special measures to safeguard the health of the Russian front line troops, says the Berlin Correspondent of the *National Zeitung*. Special precautions have already been taken against an outbreak of the plague. The centre for the anti-plague battle has been established at Warsaw, under Professor Kudikeh, who, it is claimed, has discovered a new method of diagnosing spotted fever in ten minutes instead of the two days required hitherto.

SOVIET COMMUNIQUE

The Soviet midnight communiqué states: "During January 12th, on a number of sectors of the front, our troops continued to advance, and after fierce fighting took several inhabited localities. On January 11th twelve German 'planes were destroyed for the loss of three 'planes."

JAPAN AND RUSSIA

LONDON, Monday.—Mr. Tatekawa, Japanese Ambassador in Kuibishev, had a two hours' talk with leading Soviet officials, says a Tokyo report quoted by the Lahti-Finnish Radio. He discussed important affairs with M. Vishinsky, Soviet Deputy Commissar for Foreign Affairs, and M. Lozovsky, Chief of the Far East Department of the Commissariat for Foreign Affairs. —(Reuter.)

NO IMMEDIATE VICTORY

COL. KNOX CONFIDENT U.S. WILL WIN

WASHINGTON, Monday—Elements of distance, time and the wide distribution of America's naval forces precluded any early favourable dramatic or triumphant showdown with the Japanese Fleet, Colonel Knox, Secretary of the Navy, told a conference of Mayors to-day. The Navy's main and immediate task, he said, was convoying in the North and South Atlantic and Pacific vital war supplies for the united nations. The master plan of the united nations called for the defeat of Hitler as the primary requisite to winning the war. When Hitler was finished, he said, the whole Axis fabric would collapse, and the finishing off of "Hitler's satellites" would be easy by contrast.—(Reuter.)

OUTLAY ON KERRY ROADS

After being told on the telephone by the Local Government Department that the allocation of £30,000 for repairing main roads was not sufficient to warrant the recoupment of forty per cent., Kerry County Council decided yesterday to allow £43,824 for the road works scheme in 1942-43, a reduction of £5,000 compared with the current year.

Earlier in the meeting the Council was informed by the Department that the amount allowed for repairing main roads in the current year, £13,481, was too low to be entitled to the recoupment of £5,000. The Council had already taken credit for this latter amount. The Council agreed to provide a contribution of £3,300 to secure a grant of £33,000, the total to be expended on road works under the employment schemes vote.

TEA SHORTAGE IN DUBLIN

Some of the leading retail houses in Dublin were, during the week-end, unable to supply their customers with their usual ration of tea. They were informed that they would probably be in a position to give it to them in the early part of the week. When a somewhat similar experience occurred previously a week's ration of tea which was due to them had not been made up to them since.

MEATH LABOURER'S DEATH MYSTERY

INQUEST OPENED AND ADJOURNED

Mr. J. J. Lynch, solicitor, Coroner for Meath, held an inquest at the County Hospital, Navan, last night on William Ryan (62), labourer, Cloverhill, Wilkinstown, Navan, who had been admitted to the institution on Saturday in an unconscious condition, and who died on the following morning.

Superintendent Smith, Kells, represented the State, and Mr. N. Lacy, solicitor, represented an interested party.

The Coroner said that the case presented some unusual and unfortunate features, and, in consultation with the Superintendent, he had decided to take evidence of identification and medical evidence only and adjourn to a further date.

Francis Callaghan, Cloverhill, Wilkinstown, Navan, farmer, identified the remains. Ryan had been employed by witness and his brother, and about six weeks ago had been knocked down by a bullock. He was attended by Dr. McDonald for three weeks and then resumed his work in perfect health.

Dr. R. V. Monaghan, surgeon, County Hospital, Navan, said that on Saturday last Ryan was admitted to the hospital in an unconscious condition, with various head wounds. He had evidence of fracture of the base of the skull. He died on Sunday. In the doctor's opinion, the cause of death was cerebral compression, following his injuries.

It was unlikely that Ryan's skull was fractured by the accident, which occurred six weeks previously.

At this stage Superintendent Smith applied for an adjournment, pending the facts being reported to the Attorney-General.

Coroner—You won't be troubled further, and I adjourn the case till we hear further.

Francis Callaghan—I am not satisfied.

Coroner—I am in control of this Court, and in the interests of justice I am going to adjourn this inquest. It is not that I am anxious to hide anything. It is just in the interests of justice.

Francis Callaghan—"I am not satisfied."

UNEMPLOYED IN CORK

ACTION APPROVED BY BOARD

South Cork Board of Public Assistance yesterday supported the cause of unemployed men who had refused to work for Cork County Council at the rate of 25s. 4d. per week. The men concerned live at Spangle Hill and Gurranebraher, and two of them represented the facts of the case to the Board. They pointed out that they were in receipt of 14s. per week from the Labour Exchange, 9s. home assistance and food vouchers value for 9s., making a weekly total of 32s. They received a notification from the County Council to start work in a quarry at Blarney, for four days per week at 25s. 4d. If they accepted the work offered they would forfeit the entire amount of assistance they had been receiving payment for. Similar work under the city rotational scheme would be £2 3s. 1d. per week. The men were prepared to work at the city rate.

The Board unanimously endorsed the men's refusal to work.

BELFAST YOUTH ON ARMS CHARGE

John Drennan (19), Antrim street, Belfast, was remanded in custody for eight days at Belfast Police Court yesterday on charges of carrying a loaded revolver, with intent to endanger life; attempting to murder James Moore, and being in possession of firearms without a certificate.

Special Constable McCurry said that Drennan, in reply to the charges, said he carried the revolver for his own protection, had no intention of injuring anyone, and did not apply for a certificate because he knew he would not get one.

Head-Constable Campbell opposed bail, and said that the police had a lot of inquiries to make before the case closed.

LOUTH ROAD ESTIMATES

Louth County Council, at a special meeting in Dundalk yesterday, adopted road estimates for the coming year totalling £35,542, which shows a slight reduction on the amount voted last year. At the suggestion of the Chairman (Senator J. T. McGee) members' proposals for making and repairing new roads in the county were adjourned.

The Chairman stated that, while they would try to keep their roads in a decent state, the present was not the time for the spending of money which could be avoided. In addition, all the labour possible would be needed on the land and in the bogs.

DAMAGE BY FIRE IN NEWRY

In a fire which occurred last night at the premises of Messrs. M. J. O'Rourke and Co., Ltd., coal importers, Albert Basin, Newry, two motor lorries, an office and a garage were completely destroyed. Large quantities of coal close by threatened to become alight, but, through the efforts of the fire brigade, no damage was done to this stock.

WASHINGTON, Monday.—The creation of a joint Mexican-United States Defence Commission is announced by the White House.—(Reuter.)

HALFAYA GARRISON STILL HARRIED

PURSUIT OF GENERAL ROMMEL'S FORCES

WHILE the British forces in Libya continue to attack the isolated Axis garrison at Halfaya, and sandstorms impede general operations, contact with General Rommel's retreating forces has been maintained.

Yesterday's communiqué from British Headquarters, Cairo, said:—

"Pressure on the retreating enemy in the Agheila area was maintained on Sunday, despite continued bad weather. Our air forces, in particular, carried out most effective attacks on enemy supply columns and motor transport.

"In the Halfaya area, where the reduction of the isolated enemy garrison is proceeding methodically, about 100 German and Italian prisoners of war were captured on Sunday."

"In spite of persistent sandstorms, which have hampered operations in Libya, concentrations of enemy motor transport west of El Agheila were effectively bombed yesterday (11th January)," says Monday's Royal Air Force Middle East communiqué.

"Our aircraft also attacked a petrol store in the same area, and started a large fuel fire. Fighter aircraft encountered a single Messerschmitt 109 near Jedabya, and shot it down.

"Royal Air Force and de Gaullist bombers continued their raids on enemy positions at Halfaya. During yesterday (11th January) and on Saturday (10th January) bombs were seen to burst near gun emplacements, dug-outs, and other objectives.

"During Friday night (9th-10th January) bomber aircraft of the Royal Air Force raided objectives at Tripoli, Buerat el Hsun and Sirte. At Tripoli bombs burst along the Spanish mole, while at Buerat el Hsun and Sirte direct hits were obtained on stores and dumps, causing fires and a series of explosions.

"Enemy aircraft flew over Malta on a number of occasions yesterday (11th January), as well as during Saturday (10th January) and Saturday night (10th-11th January). Some damage was done to civilian property.

"From these and other operations, four of our aircraft are missing."

"The unremitting bombing of enemy positions at Halfaya has been carried out from varying heights," states Air Ministry News Service, "and, although observation has at times been difficult, it is known that considerable damage has been inflicted on ammunition dumps, gun emplacements, 'ack-ack' batteries, pill boxes, dug-outs, mechanical transport, and on what is believed to be the headquarters of the garrison.

"On two days in succession heavy explosions indicated that sticks of bombs hit ammunition dumps, while machine-gun fire by a Royal Air Force pilot silenced two anti-aircraft gun batteries.

The Agency adds:—"Pilots, whose squadrons form the fighter wing in the present Libyan campaign, have since the beginning of our advance shot down 200 enemy 'planes."

DISPENSARY PREMISES IN CORK

SUGGESTED PURCHASE BY BOARD

South Cork Board of Public Assistance yesterday discussed problems arising out of expiring leases with regard to dispensaries and other property held by the Board. Having given details of leases shortly to expire, the Secretary (Mr. J. Hurley) pointed out that when similar problems arose under the Board of Health administration special legislation was introduced. The effect of this was that all such property was vested, fee-simple, in the Board, which would continue to pay the same rent as heretofore to the landlords, pending negotiations for purchase. The Board of Health had bought those rents at sixteen years' purchase. He now suggested that the Board of Assistance should seek similar legislation.

In proposing a motion calling for such legislation, Mr. T. Quill said they should also take the opportunity of protesting against ground rents in general. "In Cork City," he added, "there is greater landlordism, as far as ground rents are concerned, than ever before. Some of the best property is owned by foreigners, and, far from driving out landlords there are new ones coming in every other week.

Mr. M. J. Corry, T.D.—There is nothing to stop people in Cork doing as I did in Cove, where I got 33⅓ reduction in all ground rents.

Mr. Quill—motion was carried.

SHEEP STRAY TO DEATH IN MINEFIELD

Seven sheep in a flock which broke through a fence and strayed into a minefield were killed when a mine exploded on the south-east coast of England.

Thirteen other sheep had to be shot to prevent the explosion of other mines.

FURTHER RAID ON BREST NAVAL BASE

"On Sunday night Bomber Command aircraft again attacked the German naval base at Brest," states an Air Ministry communiqué. "None of our aircraft is missing."

REPRISAL FOR BRITISH RAIDS

All former active officers of the Norwegian Army are to be imprisoned by order of the Reich Commissar for Norway, announces Oslo radio, according to Reuter. Twenty former high officers are to be put into concentration camps.

'PHONE-SMASHING IN DERRY

When Henry Gilchrist, an American, was fined £5 for malicious damage to an automatic telephone; 21s. for stealing a receiver, and ordered to pay 24s. compensation, a Post Office official said that the Post Office was considering removing all telephone kiosks in Londonderry because of constant damage. On Christmas Day four were interfered with.

Head-Constable Farr said that when people could not get a number they started on destruction in the box.

BRITISH SOUTH OF KUALA LUMPUR

BATTLE RAGES 130 MILES FROM SINGAPORE

BRITISH troops, driven back by the overwhelming weight of Japanese manpower, are now fighting in new positions north of Serembam, about 130 miles north of Singapore, a further retreat taking them about 30 miles south of Kuala Lumpur, whose fall was announced last night.

The British withdrawal was closely followed by Japanese infantry, supported by continued aircraft activity.

Singapore had a number of raids yesterday, with little damage so far reported.

In the Philippines the U.S. War Department says that a heavy artillery battle is in progress along the entire front on which General MacArthur's troops are grouped near Manila.

Japanese Imperial Headquarters claimed that Tarakan, "richest island in the world," has surrendered, and that Menado, a town of 22,000 people, north of the Minahassa area, was captured.

Chinese reports stated that in the battle of Changsha 8,000 Japanese were killed.

WASHINGTON, Monday.—The War Department communiqué issued here to-day states:—

"Philippine Theatre—A heavy artillery battle is in progress along the entire front. Ground activity is increasing as fresh Japanese troops move into a front line position. Enemy air attacks are being renewed on defensive installations and fortifications. General MacArthur reports that Japanese troops occupying Manila are attempting to suppress the use of radio receiving sets by civilians. This is apparently designed to prevent the reception of broadcasts from the United States and England, even though the action also prevents reception of propaganda broadcasts from Tokyo. Nothing to report from other areas."—(Reuter.)

DUTCH CLAIMS

BATAVIA, Monday.—A communiqué issued by the Netherlands East Indies fighting services says:—

"Fighting at both invasion points, Tarakan Island and Minahassa, in N.E. Celebes, continues stubbornly. Our Allies are energetically taking part in the fight against the invaders. Allied 'planes yesterday shot down four Japanese 'planes over Minahassa, while they further scored two direct hits on a Japanese cruiser, and a near miss on a destroyer."

"This morning two Australian 'planes, near Menado, were shot down in flames by the Japanese. Our bombers this morning scored a direct hit on a Japanese cruiser lying off Tarakan, while our Glen Martin bombers also scored two direct hits on two Japanese transport ships lying there. At Singapore three Japanese 'planes were shot down this morning by our fighters. The pilot of one of the Netherlands East Indies fighters was obliged to bale out after having shot down two Japanese 'planes. He landed safely."—(Reuter.)

SINGAPORE RAIDED

SINGAPORE, Monday.—A *communiqué* issued here states:—

"Japanese aircraft attacked in two waves this morning—one from the Johore direction and the other from the west coast. Both waves—the second consisting of nearly 30 'planes—were broken up by intense A.A. fire. Our fighters maintained ceaseless patrol, and chased small groups of Japanese 'planes out to sea. An unconfirmed report says that one aircraft was missing from one of these groups."—(Reuter.)

GENERAL CAPTURED

The capture of a Major-General Bennett is claimed by the Japanese, according to Reuter and Associated Press messages. This may be Major-General Henry Gordon Bennett (54), commander of the Australian troops in Malaya.

WAR ON DUTCH

Prague Radio stated last night that Japan had made a formal declaration of war on the Netherlands East Indies on January 11. A Japanese Government Note is quoted as stating: "Japan has nothing against the Netherlands East Indies people. However, as the N.E.I. Government has allowed itself to become allied to Japan's enemies and opened hostilities against Japan, Japan has replied by attacking N.E.I. territory."—(Associated Press.)

FALL OF KUALA LUMPUR

SINGAPORE, Monday.—The fall of Kuala Lumpur, second largest city in Malaya, with a population of 100,000, is now officially confirmed. For nine hours continuously the main north and south road was crammed with British troops and transports, all of which were taken back more than fifty miles almost without mishap.—(Reuter.)

THE HOARDING OF CORN

GOVERNMENT MAY TAKE ACTION

Since Mr. Lemass, Minister for Supplies, last week said that the farmers were holding unexpectedly large quantities of wheat, oats and barley, the Government have been considering the taking of action to overcome "a very difficult situation."

Farmers say that the quantities of grain being held are no more than would meet the requirements of their families and their stock.

Other farmers said that there was no question of holding grain for a better price, because they did not expect that the Government would depart from the fixed prices.

While no action has yet been taken regarding wheat, it is believed that the Order prohibiting the feeding of wheat to animals will be enforced.

JAIL FOR THREE SOLDIERS

Three soldiers, Thomas McWilliams (26), Graham Calderwood (29), and John Wasson (27), were each sentenced to four months, with hard labour, at Belfast yesterday for stealing a handbag, cigarettes and a savings bank book from a woman in the black-out. One of their officers said the Army could not give them a good character and did not want them back. The men said they had been celebrating Christmas and had had some liquor.

FEW GOLF AND TENNIS BALLS

UNEMPLOYMENT MAY FOLLOW RUBBER ORDER

"NORMALLY, a golf professional will play only 18 holes with a new ball, while a 'rabbit' will get anything up to 40 rounds out of it but before long both of them may be playing anything in the shape of a golf ball—and liking it!" said Mr. H. Fitzgerald, a Dublin golfer, discussing yesterday the Government's Standstill Order to certain branches of the rubber goods manufacturing trade.

There are very few golf or tennis balls in stock, stated Mr. J. Duggan, manager of Messrs. J. W. Elvery and Co., Ltd., Lower O'Connell street, Dublin. The reason for the shortage of tennis balls was that these balls are branded with the year of manufacture, and players will not use a stale ball. "From January," Mr. Duggan said, "the price of the previous year's balls drops sharply. Ample stocks could have been ordered from England as late as last month, before the British prohibition on rubber exports came into force. Apart from all that, the small quantity of rubber used in making golf and tennis balls would surely not make such a large difference to the national rubber position."

UNEMPLOYMENT QUESTION

Hundreds of groundsmen, club and racquet-makers and repairers, etc., will lose their livelihood if games cease to be played, many people commented yesterday, saying that the Government should closely consider the employment situation in defining the provisions of manufacturing licences.

Mr. E. A. McGuire, a former Davis Cup player, said that there were several hundred lawn tennis clubs in Dublin alone, and these represented a good deal of employment. He felt sure that the Government would realise the employment factor involved, and not regard these games as merely flippant luxuries.

While talking to Mr. McGuire our reporter received a timely tip: To make an old tennis ball go farther place it in an oven until it becomes quite warm.

POSITION IN CORK

A Cork sports dealer stated yesterday, when asked for his views on the banning of manufacture of golf balls, tennis balls and rubber-soled shoes, that while most shops carried stocks, these were small, and would not last long.

SYNTHETIC RUBBER PLAN

U.S. TO PRODUCE 400,000 TONS

WASHINGTON, Monday.—A £100,000,000 programme for the production of synthetic rubber was announced to-day by Mr. Jesse Jones, the Federal Loan Administrator.

President Roosevelt, Mr. Jones said, had authorised him to proceed with plans to build enough factories to turn out 400,000 tons of synthetic rubber a year. They had enough rubber to meet all essential needs until the new plants are completed. He had arranged a pool of nearly all the leading rubber, oil and chemical companies, who were pooling their patents, scientific and technical processes and other facilities. The total synthetic capacity of the U.S. at present is only 90,000 tons.

18,000 HONG KONG PRISONERS

There are 18,000 military prisoners and civilian internees in the Hong Kong area, it was stated at a meeting of the Red Cross and St. John Appeal Fund at St. James's Palace, London. No official information was available as to where the prisoners would be located, but Formosa had been mentioned.

BOMBS ON NORTH-EAST COAST OF SCOTLAND

An Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Security communiqué last night stated:—

"This morning a single enemy aircraft dropped bombs at a point on the north-east coast of Scotland. There has been no report of any damage or casualties."

ENNIS BRAID FACTORY

COMPANIES' ACT INVESTIGATION

Evidence was given yesterday at the Valuation Office, Dublin, before Mr. C. C. McElligott, the Inspector appointed by the Minister for Industry and Commerce to investigate the affairs of L. Jordan, Ltd., Ennis, by J. P. Colbert and Dr. J. P. Beddy, Chairman and Secretary respectively of the Industrial Credit Company, Ltd.

The proceedings were private.

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WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY, 2.30.
GRAND CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME,
JIMMY O'DEA in
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Now in its Third Week.
NEXT SUNDAY—Repeat Performance owing to many requests,
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A Christmas Party.
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GLENAGEARY PLAYERS in
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METROPOLE To-day at 2.5, 4.20, 6.40, 9.0.
MERLE OBERON, ALAN MARSHALL, in
"LYDIA."

GRAFTON Continuous 2 to 10.30 2.5, 4.25, 6.40, 8.55.
Deanna Durbin, Herbert Marshall, in
"MAD ABOUT MUSIC."
DEANNA AT HER BEST.

THEATRE DE LUXE
Dublin's Super Cinema—3-10.30 p.m.
Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour,
"CAUGHT IN THE DRAFT."
Showing at 4.08, 6.38, 9.08.

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9th GREAT WEEK!!
"LOVE ON THE DOLE."
The Film Sensation of this or any year.
Daily at 2.20, 4.35, 6.45, 9.0.

ADELPHI At 3.25, 6.20, 9.15
"ICE CAPADES,"
With Dorothy Lewis, James Ellison,
Also "A SHOT IN THE DARK."
Showing at 2.11, 5.6, 8.1.

ASTORIA DUN LAOGHAIRE At 3.40, 6.5, 8.30
WENDY HILLER, REX HARRISON,
in George Bernard Shaw's
"MAJOR BARBARA."

CORINTHIAN Jimmy Lydon,
"HENRY ALDRICH FOR PRESIDENT."
At 2.25, 4.45, 7.5, 9.25. Alan Baxter,
Mary Carlisle, "RAGS TO RICHES."
At 3.39, 5.59, 8.19.

GREEN. 3.40, 6.20, 9.0.
Chas. Boyer,
Claudette Colbert: "Tovarich." Also
Ralph Bellamy: "Crime of Dr. Hallet."

ROYAL Film at 2.41, 6.15, 9.21. Show at 4.24, 7.58.
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A Sparkling Vintage of 1942.
Peggy Dell, Noel Purcell, Harry Bailey, Roy Irving,
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REGAL ROOMS CINEMA. At 2.20, 4.35, 6.50, 9.5.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS
In the Goods of
EMILY MARY MAGAHAN, late of 22 Longford terrace, Monkstown, County Dublin, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased, by her Will, dated the 12th day of May, 1939, bequeathed £10 to the Dublin Branch Incorporated of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

In addition Testatrix directed that should her niece Eileen Magahan die without leaving any issue her surviving then the undermentioned Trustees should hold her Residuary Estate upon trust to pay £100 to the Hibernian Bible Society, the Bible House, Dawson street, Dublin, and to pay the entire balance thereof to the Governors for the time being of the Masonic Orphan Girls School, Ballsbridge, Dublin, to be used and applied by them for the general purpose of said school.

The Testatrix died on the 13th day of July, 1941, and Probate of said Will was on the 26th day of November, 1941, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry, Dublin, to William Frederick Burgoyne Baird, James Burgoyne Baird and Frederick William Burgoyne Baird, all of Hill street, Lurgan, in the County of Armagh, the Executors and Trustees named in said Will.

LITTLE & CULLEN, Solicitors for Executors, 64 Dawson street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and to all others whom it may concern.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
JOHN PEDDER PHIPPS, Junior, Lieut., The Queen's Royal Regiment, formerly of "Homestead," Kill o' the Grange, Blackrock, Dublin, Deceased.

All persons who have any claim or demand against the Estate of above-named Deceased, who died on the 2nd day of January, 1942, are required to furnish particulars in writing of same forthwith to the undersigned Solicitor for the Personal Representatives.

S. H. WATSON, 5 Eustace street, Dublin.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

IRISH LIVE STOCK EXPORTERS' AND TRADERS' ASSOCIATION, LIMITED.
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A Meeting is to be held in the FRIENDS' MEETING HOUSE, 6 EUSTACE STREET, EVERY TUESDAY, 1.0 to 1.30 o'c.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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DISCOVERIES UNDER VATICAN

AN ANCIENT ROMAN WAY

VICHY, Monday.—Underneath the Vatican City, an ancient Roman way, of considerable width and in perfect condition, has been discovered during excavations over the past two years through the Vatican Grotto. Several sarcophagi, dating from the first centuries of the Christian era, have also been found. These excavations, recently inspected by the Pope, have been undertaken with the double object of recovering important archæological remains and transforming existing grottoes into a veritable necropolis to accommodate the tombs of the Popes, whose mortal remains would thus rest near those of St. Peter.—(Reuter.)

RAILWAYS A VITAL NECESSITY

"The railways are a vital necessity and part of the life-blood of the nation," said Major R. E. FitzGerald-Lombard, K.H.S., P.C., M.A., B.A.I., F.S.C., Barrister-at-Law, in his address on "Irish Railways" at yesterday's Rotary Club luncheon in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin.

The question of competition with road transport was dealt with, and the question was raised whether the best steps were being taken by the railways' directorate to eliminate that competition.

The railway hotels, in addition to their own actual profits, were valuable feeders to the general system. "The closed lines can never be got back," concluded the speaker. In the event of petrol shortage they will not be available for even military purposes.

Sir Thomas Robinson proposed a vote of thanks, which was seconded by Mr. F. S. Summerfield, who made a strong case for road transport. The railways, he said, were entitled only to competition on equal terms with road transport. When the railways had had the monopoly they had mismanaged it, and it would be a tragic thing for the country if they were to regain that monopoly for them to mismanage it again.

Mr. Vincent O'Hare presided.

ALTERNATIVES FOR MAIZE AND OIL CAKE

In a broadcast last night from Radio Eireann Professor E. J. Sheehy, D.Sc., of University College, Dublin, dealt with the alternatives which may be used as substitutes for maize and oil cake in feeding live-stock. Before the war, he said, this country fed to live-stock £6,250,000 worth of these imported stuffs. Now that they could not be obtained, it was possible to find useful home-grown foods to take their place. The alternative was a matter of adjustment, of more of certain crops such as cereals, potatoes, silage and green fodder, and of introducing the necessary alteration in the practice of feeding, particularly in the case of pigs and poultry. Such a change-over is already taking place. Our own cereals, as well as potatoes, supply, with one exception, the food nutrients of maize. Oats are an ideal all-round food for all kinds of farm stock, though somewhat less concentrated than barley. Cooked potatoes serve the same purpose as cereals, and might, in whole or part, take the place of maize. The substitute for oil cake which can be had in almost unlimited quantity is grass silage. He suggested that it was high time that farmers here ceased to ignore ensilage.

OLD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

On January 11, 1498, Prior Davis Winchester, founder of Christ Church Cathedral Grammar School, the oldest secondary or public school in Ireland, died. Last Sunday the Dean of Christ Church, the Very Rev. E. H. Lewis Crosby, commemorated this anniversary in a special sermon in the Cathedral. While they must date the school frm the time of the Prior, he said, there was, no doubt, a school of music before that time where friars could be trained in chanting the Services. The Cathedral School had had a long and honoured record. To-day it was living up to its traditions. What nobler aspirations could they have for it than that its scholars should go forth into society with a vocation, a sense of mission to help to make the Church of God a universal brotherhood that will transcend all barriers raised by race, nationality, class or sectarianism.

At a meeting of the Executive of Cumann Gaolac, Inchicore, plans were completed for the establishment of free nightly Irish classes, elementary adults' and children's, as previously announced. Six classes are at present running.

Irish Times

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1942.

In The Spring

Ever since Dr. Goebbels, a few weeks ago, informed the German people that they were faced in Russia by an enemy superior not only in man-power, but also in equipment, it has been fairly clear that the German High Command had made a serious miscalculation in regard to the Red Army. The German Intelligence Service has made few mistakes during the last two and a half years. Its information, as a general rule, has proved to be exceedingly accurate; and much of the success that has been achieved by German arms has been due to the excellence of the Secret Service. In the case of Russia, however, there seems to have been a blind spot somewhere, or else the Russians have kept their secrets so well that they have been able to bamboozle everybody. The whole world knew that their man-power was almost inexhaustible; a knowledge of elementary arithmetic was all that was necessary to establish that fact. There seems to be very little doubt that the Russians continue to advance virtually all along the line. It is too early to decide whether or not the German retreat is partly voluntary—a strategic movement calculated to shorten the German lines and to provide Herr Hitler's armies with suitable winter quarters. All that is certain is that, having been driven back for half a year, and having sustained appalling losses in men and material, the Russians are moving steadily forward. During the last forty-eight hours the Germans reported no fewer than five Russian attacks on the main railway line from Moscow to Rzhev. The Russians themselves claim that one hundred and fifty-seven settlements have been recaptured since last Friday; and there seems to be good reason to believe that General Zhukov, in front of Moscow, has contrived to manœuvre the forces of General von Bock into a position of immediate peril.

At least two more months remain of the Russian winter. The Germans make no secret of the fact that weather conditions are operating against them, and in favour of the Russians, who have been trained and equipped specially for winter warfare; but it stands to reason that, however well they may be able to withstand the rigours of the season, the Russians, in common with their enemies, cannot hope to make much progress over a terrain that is covered with snow, in some cases to a depth of several feet. The movements that are in progress at present must be regarded as preliminaries for the general campaign in the spring. Manifestly the Russian High Command at the moment is thinking not so much of territorial gains as of the discomfiture that can be caused to the Germans, and the losses that can be inflicted on them, particularly in respect of aircraft, tanks, and military equipment. In mechanised warfare much depends upon momentum. The side that gets a flying start always has a marked advantage, as was proved not only in Poland and the Low Countries, but also in Libya; and it manifestly is part of the Russian strategy to keep the Germans on the retreat in order to prevent them from the re-organisation of their main forces with a view to a spring offensive. There seems to be a general belief that Herr Hitler, with characteristic thoroughness, already is preparing his plans for the advent of the good weather. It is reported that three new classes have been called to the colours in Germany, and that between 700,000 and 800,000 fresh troops will be ready to advance in the spring. All the authorities agree that, in spite of their losses, and the attacks of the British Air Force on the Ruhr and other industrial areas, Germany's industrial production has not been weakened to any appreciable extent. According to statements by the British Ministry of Economic Warfare, Germany's output of aircraft and tanks, while, possibly, slightly below its "peak," still is sufficiently high to constitute a formidable threat to the Allies in the spring. Those who imagine that the Germans will not be able to mount a violent offensive in April or May imagine a vain thing. Who can forget the March offensive in France in 1918—an offensive that very nearly won the war for General Ludendorff? We are convinced that Europe is on the eve of a military campaign that will be fiercer than anything that hitherto has been experienced by the human race. Herr Hitler and his colleagues will make a bold bid for final victory during the present year. When, where and how they will strike remains to be seen; that they will strike, and strike with their maximum force, is as sure as anything can be in this world of uncertainties.

A.R.P.

An elaborate exercise was conducted in Dun Laoghaire on Sunday. The participants included the local A.R.P. organisation, the Auxiliary Fire Service, the Local Security Force, the St. John Ambulance Brigade, and the Red Cross. Imaginary bombs were dropped on three points from imaginary aircraft; and the various organisations proceeded to demonstrate how they would behave if those imaginary bombs had been real. From all accounts, their behaviour was most efficient. It is impossible, of course, in exercises of this kind to reproduce the conditions of actual attack; for, however seriously the participants may take their task, the element of danger is absent: onlookers treat it all as part of a game, and the panic among the civilian population, which so often has hampered the work of A.R.P. officials elsewhere, is bound to be lacking. Nevertheless, such exercises are virtually the only practicable form of rehearsal for "the real stuff," and the more of them that take place throughout the country—and especially in this city and its neighbourhood—the better it will be. The A.R.P. organisation has not been very much in the news of late. We have no doubt that it is doing valuable, if tedious, work behind the scenes, and that it will be ready for the worst when, and if, the worst arrives. Yet one would like to hear more about it. How many of the grievances, large and small, which provoked the pens of many wardens a year ago have been redressed? Is a better supply of equipment available now? Is the *personnel* sufficient, and has training been conducted during these uneventful months—uneventful so far as Ireland is concerned—without any serious falling-off of interest? We ask these questions because here, as elsewhere, there is a danger that the essential work of the A.R.P. and A.F.S. organisations may be neglected to the advantage of the military and para-military services. They were so neglected across the Channel; yet who will deny that those organisations have seen much active service as any soldier on British soil—if not, indeed, a great deal more? Yesterday, Mr. de Valera denied a particularly startling crop of rumours which have run like wildfire over this country during the past week. He said nothing, however, to imply that the danger of war is further remote than it was; on the contrary, his speech was even less cheerful than usual. Ireland cannot afford to be unprepared. The blow may fall at any moment, and, if she is not in a position to defend herself, God help her! For ourselves, we should be easier in mind if there were more extensive and open evidence of Dublin's ability to cope with a severe air-raid. There are no underground shelters at all; the number of surface shelters is nothing like adequate; the fire-fighting service may be efficient in spots, but there are not nearly enough spots; and without these aids the work of the A.R.P. organisation is bound to be handicapped. Is it impossible to build a sufficiency of shelters without further delay? The cement exists; steel enough is surely available, and there is labour enough and to spare. A new A.R.P. "drive," as we think, would do a very great deal of good to public *moral* and national defence.

What Ireland Reads

Miss Roisin Walsh, Chief Library Officer for Dublin, has divulged some interesting information about the effect of the war on the Irish mind, particularly in regard to the choice of reading matter. The main effects of the war, according to Miss Walsh, are three-fold. The people are taking a more practical interest in cooking and in the value of foodstuffs; they are paying greater attention to the garden and its use for the production of food; and, lastly, they show a tendency to turn to religion. If Miss Walsh is right in her first observations—and few people are better fitted to make such observations—then it appears that the people of this country have at last decided to take the food question seriously. Of course, Miss Walsh is referring, no doubt, mainly to the section of the public which borrows books from the public libraries, but it is a section which represents no mean proportion of the population. It is one of the first indications that the casual inhabitants of this island have at last begun to take some thought for the morrow. Miss Walsh went on to say that she thought that interest in reading can be stimulated by the cinema—which undoubtedly is true in isolated cases. In the main, however, we fear that interest in the cinema leaves much less time to devote to reading, especially to reading books of any importance. She said, too, that the Irish people are becoming more "book-conscious" with regard to their work and their hobbies, and mentioned the seasonal demand for books; golf, tennis, fishing and swimming in the summer, and in the winter—in spite of the misgivings of the Cork County Council—for opera scores, piano music and songs. Books on the theatre—including plays and treatises on the art of the ballet—have widespread popularity. Perhaps the most interesting feature of Miss Walsh's interview were her remarks about religious books. It seems that the war has caused many people—especially those who had, to some extent lost interest in the Church—to turn to religion for guidance, with the result that all forms of religious books have been in great demand. On the whole, Miss Walsh's interview contains encouraging news; a return to religion and interest in the cultivation of food are healthy indications in the present times.

Among the apologies received for unavoidable absence at the annual prize distribution and entertainment at the Kirwan House Female Orphanage last Friday was one from Lady Talbot de Malahide.

OBITUARY

REV. G. L. WEBSTER

The Rev. George L. Webster, M.A., whose death at a Dublin nursing home is announced, is the third minister of the Methodist Church in Ireland to have died in three successive days.

Mr. Webster was born in Clonegal, on the borders of Carlow and Wicklow, on Christmas Day, 1859. A graduate of Dublin University, he entered the ministry of the Methodist Church in 1887. He had served in almost every part of the country, including such important centres as Carlow, Limerick, Tralee and Belfast. Seventeen years of his ministry were spent in the City of Galway, where he was known and beloved by people of all denominations. During those years he was Methodist Dean of Residence in University College, Galway. He was an able Irish scholar, and frequently preached in Irish in the open air. He married Miss Lawlor, a well-known member of the Abbey Street Methodist Church, and a gifted singer, and is survived by two sons and three daughters.

MR. PETER KENNEDY

Mr. Peter Kennedy, whose death has taken place at Our Lady's Hospice, Dublin, was head of Messrs. Peter Kennedy and Co., auditors and accountants, 28 Westmoreland street. Eldest son of the late Mr. Michael Kennedy and Mrs. Kennedy, Bonnie Glen, Botanic road, he was born fifty years ago, and was educated at the O'Connell Schools, North Richmond street. He became an articled apprentice with Messrs. Purtill and Company. Qualifying as an accountant, eventually he set up the firm of Peter Kennedy and Co. He was a supporter of the Fianna Fail Party, and was honorary treasurer of one of the City of Dublin Cumainn. Mr. Kennedy was married, and is survived by his wife, as well as his mother, four brothers and three sisters, two of whom are nuns.

MR. G. H. LOWRY

Mr. George Herbert Lowry, of Headfort place, Kells, who has died in a nursing home in Belfast, was principal of Messrs. Joseph Lowry and Sons, auctioneers, Kells, and brother of the late Mr. Albert Lowry, owner of the racer Bachelor's Button. He had been Sheriff and Returning Officer for Meath since 1916, filling both offices with courtesy and efficiency. Mr. Lowry was the first captain of Headfort Golf Club.

REV. THOMAS S. HALL

The Rev. Thomas Schoales Hall, B.A., who died at his home, 28 Fitzwilliam street, Belfast, yesterday, had been Rector of the Parish of St. John the Baptist, Upper Falls road, Belfast, for 42 years, and retired in 1930. He graduated from Trinity College, Dublin, and was one of the founders of the Cripples' Institute, Belfast. For the two years following his ordination in 1884 he was Curate of Dunganstown, County Wicklow.

NEW CHURCH PLAN APPROVED

Approval was given to a plan, submitted by the Housing Architect, for the erection of a church on which an option was granted to the Most Rev. A. W. Barton, D.D., Archbishop of Dublin, at yesterday's meeting of the Dublin Corporation Housing Committee, held in the City Hall.

It was intimated that the Town Planning Committee have decided that Rathmines avenue is unsuitable for the proposed erection of flats. A 95 per cent. rent collection was reported by the Revenue Branch. In the absence of Alderman T. Kelly, T.D., the Lord Mayor (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.) presided.

GAIETY THEATRE

A lovely show, with tuneful choruses, beautiful dresses, artistic lighting, and strong principals, "Hansel and Gretel" began another week at the Gaiety last night with a crowded house. The singing and dancing have settled into a nice tempo, with May Devitt and Maisie Cranfield, Maureen Potter and Denis Barry in the leading *rôles*. Jimmy O'Dea's all-pervading hilarity adds pep to the pace, and a right good pantomime is getting the patronage that it deserves.

ABBEY THEATRE

Lennox Robinson's "Forget-Me-Not" is being retained in the Abbey Theatre for another week. The complications following claims to a fortune of £70,000 are handled skilfully by a company that includes F. J. McCormick, Eileen Crowe, Shelah Richards, Fred Johnson, Ria Mooney, M. J. Dolan and Maureen Delany.

GATE THEATRE

Entering on its last week at the Gate Theatre, "Harlequinade" last night again drew a full and delighted "house." Hilton Edwards and Micheál Mac Liammóir and the Gate Company are presenting an entertainment which is thoroughly satisfactory from every point of view.

THEATRE ROYAL

The Theatre Royal has an attractive variety show, entitled: "Out of the Bottle." Peggy Dell, at the piano, plays waltzes, by Strauss, and popular songs of the year. Noel Purcell and Harry Bailey, Roy Irving, Olive Briggs and Eddie Byrne also contribute to one of the best variety entertainments seen in Dublin for a long time. The Twelve Royal Violettes were seen in clever dances, while little Marian Duffy displayed wonderful tight-rope walking ability for one so young. Gordon Spicer, at the organ, played a choice selection of light and serious music. The Theatre Royal Orchestra, under Jimmy Campbell, provided many items of interest. The picture was "My Life With Caroline," with Ronald Colman.

OLYMPIA THEATRE

"Dick Whittington," with its frolic, humour and music, is maintaining its popularity at the Olympia Theatre. Cecil Sheridan ensures that no staleness comes into the songs, and Norma Barry and Vie Kaye, as "Dick" and principal girl, respectively, work together with harmony and understanding. Johnny Caross is a sympathising cat. The Two Carltons, Jack Cruise, Joe Duffy and Dan Byrne lend able support.

QUEEN'S THEATRE

The attractively-staged and well-dressed "Sinbad the Sailor" is being continued at the Queen's Theatre. Marcella Shortall, principal boy, and Josephine O'Hagan, principal girl, enter into the spirit of the story, and comedy is a strong feature throughout. Frank O'Donovan, the principal comedian, has the help of Jimmy Harvey, and a strong cast of players.

IRISH WILLS

Miss Mary Christina McDonald, of 4 Drogheda street, Balbriggan, County Dublin, who died on 16th May last, left personal estate in England and Eire valued at £3,233.

Miss Kathleen Mabel Hall, late of Troedyranr House, Beulah, Caermarthen, Wales, who died on 14th July, 1941, left estate in Eire valued at £3,627.

Miss Teresa McShane, late of An Grianan, 157 North Circular road, who died on 16th October, 1941, left estate in Eire valued at £2,520.

Rev. W. O'Mahoney, P.P., Belmont Park, Waterford, who died on 5th August, 1941, left estate in Eire valued at £1,067.

COURT AND PERSONAL

The Earl of Dunraven is staying in Limerick at present.

The Countess of Hopetoun was godmother to the infant son of Captain the Hon. Ronald Strutt and Mrs. Strutt, who was christened last week at Arundel.

Priscilla Countess Annesley, widow of the fifth Earl Annesley, who died recently, left £6,879 6s. gross, with net personalty £2,772 18s. 2d. She left her portrait by de Lazlo to her brother, Mr. Hugh A. Moore, for life, and then to the Belfast Art Gallery.

Viscount and Viscountess Adare are now in residence at Adare Manor, Co. Limerick.

Sir Earle Page has been appointed an honorary Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons in England.

Lord Ivor Spencer-Churchill was among those who attended a luncheon given in London last week by the committee of the St. James's Club in honour of Vice-Admiral Robert L. Ghormley, of the American Embassy.

Miss Corinne Odlum, who met with a recent riding accident, has now fully recovered.

The marriage of Mr. John T. Hanna, of Manchester, and Miss L. Vera Bryans, of Terenure, Dublin, will take place at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow at Zion Church, Rathgar.

The marriage arranged between Ernest F. Killingley and Ruby C. McCormick will take place quietly in St. Paul's Church, Glenageary, on Tuesday, 10th February.

Amongst the Special January Offers in Switzers Ladies' Glove Dept. are fashionable Coloured Doeskin Gloves at 9s. 11d.; assorted Lined Leather Gloves in nigger, navy and black, at 12s. 11d., and Short Musquash Furback Gloves at 32s. 6d. per pair. All are much below normal prices.

Our Sale ends in a few days! We have some charming styles in Frocks, Costumes and Coats, irresistibly priced.—The Fashion Shop, 3 Grafton street, Dublin (over Barretts).

Richard Alan's Sale at 58 Grafton St. is now in its last week. Outstanding values are to be obtained in Coats and Sportswear, Afternoon and Evening Frocks.

Margaret Watson has received a new collection of attractive Suits, Ensembles and Coats for Spring, New Frocks for day and evening; Sports Suits and Sweaters.—17A Dawson street.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Some advance "Hershelle" and "Susan Small" Models just arrived at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

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ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

Clar do Scolairi Scol: 6.0—To-day's Historical Picture. 6.5—Filiocht Ghaedhilge—Aindrias O Muimhneachain. 6.25—The Weekly Competition, conducted by Niall Sheridan. 6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.0—Irish Radio Orchestra (Conductor, Dr. V. O'Brien) and Violet Pearson (soprano). 7.50—"As mo leabhar nua"—An t-ughdar 'a leigheamh. Uimh. 1: "Peann agus Par," le Liam O Rinn. 8.5—"At Home" with the Hayes's. 8.30—Maire Ni Shiothchain (Amhrain). 8.40—Relay of Pantomime, "Babes in the Wood," from the Father Mathew Hall. 9.40—New Short Story, by Brinsley MacNamara. 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—"Ireland's Call to Arms," L.D.F. Programme.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7—News. 7.15—Records. 7.30—Exercises. 7.50—"Tune for To-day." 7.55—Prayers. 8—News. 8.15—Kitchen Front. 8.20—"Let us be Gay." 9—Organ. 9.30—"Serenaders." 10.5—Schools. 10.15—Service. 10.30—Waltz Time. 10.45—"Wise Housekeeping." 11—Health Talk. 11.15—King Pins of Comedy. 11.30—Orchestra. 12—Records. 12.30—"Workers' Playtime." 1—News. 1.15—American Commentary. 1.30—Band. 2.15—Schubert. 3—Music While You Work. 3.30—Evensong. 4—"The Old Town Hall." 4.40—"The Bust." 5—News in Welsh. 5.30—Children's Hour. 6—News. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—"Can I Help You?" 7—Orchestra. 7.45—"The Twist." 8.15—The Brains Trust. 9—News. 9.25—To-night's Talk. 9.40—"Here To-day—Gone To-morrow." 10.20—Prayers. 10.35—"The Haunted Inn." 11—Schubert and Brahms. 11.20—Orchestra. 12—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—"Reveille!" 7—News. 7.15—Records. 8—News. 8.15—Records. 9—Organ. 9.30—"Serenaders." 10—"Accent on Rhythm." 10.15—Welsh Light Programme. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11—Anniversaries. 11.15—"King Pins of Comedy." 11.30 — Orchestra. 12—Records. 12.30—"Workers' Playtime." 1—News. 1.15—"Russian Fair." 1.35—Band. 2.15—"Southern Serenade." 3—Music While You Work. 3.30—"Command Performance." 4—"The Old Town Hall." 4.40—Records. 5.30—"The World At War." 5.45—John Hilton. 6—News. 6.30—"Just Judy." 6.45—Golf Simplified. 7—New Zealand News-Letter. 7.5—Australian News-Letter. 7.15—"Make and Mend." 8—"Record Time." 8.30—"With a Smile and a Song." 9—News. 9.25—"Odes and Ends." 9.55—"Pomes from the Forces." 10.5—Greetings. 10.35—Fred Hartley. 11—"Frets and Strings." 11.20—Close down.

MOISEIWITSCH RECITAL

BRILLIANT PLAYING

Upwards of two thousand five hundred attended the recitals given by Moiseiwitsch at the Royal Dublin Society's Hall, Ballsbridge, yesterday. This was the largest attendance since Cortot played on the same platform a few years ago. The distinguished Russian pianist seems to have improved since he was last here a few seasons ago. There are culture, lucidity and charm, apart altogether from an absolutely perfect technique that make his playing a delight. Chopin figured largely in yesterday's recitals, and a more brilliant interpretation could hardly have been possible. In the "Funeral March" Sonata, as Op. 35 is styled, Moiseiwitsch brought out the imaginative aspect of this much-discussed work—the march itself being played with especial beauty. The B Minor Scherzo, Op. 20, and the Ballade in G Minor, Op. 23, were also beautifully interpreted; the working out of the Ballade, with its two main themes and presto finale, was exhilarating. In these, as well as in a series of Impromptus, Preludes and two Waltzes, the pianist showed himself a master of Chopin.

Equally he showed his mastery of Beethoven in his exquisite reading of the familiar but ever lovely Sonata Pathetique, and the haunting Andante Favori. An admirable quality in both works was the player's artistic restraint, and the atmosphere of intimacy he created. He built up his effects without resort to sheer dynamics. The Brahms Rhapsody in E Flat, and Intermezzo in C, and the Liszt arrangement of Wagner's "Tannhauser" were other notable performances.

A STROKE OF GOOD LUCK

In these days of scarcity of all commodities Dublin has had a stroke of good luck. A shipment of Spanish apricot pulp (used for making jam) has arrived and, as will be seen from our advertising columns, is being offered to the public by a well-known Grafton street firm of fruiterers and florists.

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
MONDAY NIGHT.

So many letters addressed to Eire and Northern Ireland have to be returned each week to senders in Britain because they infringe the postal censorship regulations in one way or another, that the censorship has made available in every post-office a leaflet explaining the provisions in detail. It is pointed out that the censorship of correspondence is conducted by the Department of the Minister of Information, Mr. Brendan Bracken, and that the Postmaster-General is in no way responsible for censorship except that he is bound to present to the censors all correspondence which Mr. Bracken's staff may wish to examine. No restriction is placed on the despatch of letters and non pictorial postcards, although they are liable to examination, but reconditioned envelopes with economy labels may not be permitted, nor may any gummed slip or tape be used. No newspaper, book, photograph, or print may be sent without a special permit from the Chief Censor.

Interned

Sir Barry Domvile, before whom Mr. Cahir Healy made the declaration of his acceptance of office as a member of Fermanagh County Council, which the Council's solicitor considers to be invalid, is also detained at Brixton Prison. A former chairman of "The Link," the object of which was Anglo-German friendship, Sir Barry was present with Lord Beatty at some of the meetings during the Anglo-Irish negotiations which led to the Treaty of 1921. In his book, "By and Large," published six years ago, he tells of his meeting there with Childers and Collins.

More Milk

Since the outbreak of the war the consumption of milk has gone up by almost one-third. In October, 1938, Britain consumed 64½ million gallons; in October, 1941, the total sale amounted to 84 million gallons. The Ministry of Food have done everything they possibly could to encourage the consumption of milk by those who need it to build up their bodies. Investigation into the age groups 14-18 show that the difference in height and weight between pre-war and war-time are statistically insignificant. So successful has the price control been that the cost-of-living figure—food only—is to-day lower than in 1920 or 1940.

Safety at Sea

The Ministry of War Transport, in co-operation with the shipping industry, has insisted on further improvements in the provisions for safety at sea. It is now possible to make a lifeboat journey of over a thousand miles without the terrible privations which have been endured by many unfortunate seamen in similar circumstances. Something like forty separate pieces of equipment are now part of a ship's lifeboat, and the arrangements for food storage have been increased. The Ministry would welcome some bright invention for obtaining fresh water from salt with a minimum of apparatus. This problem has never been satisfactorily solved.

Knew Herr Hess

Mr. Ivone A. Kirkpatrick, the Foreign Office official who identified and interviewed Herr Rudolf Hess after his arrival in Scotland, has been appointed to the rank of Counsellor of Embassy in the Diplomatic Service. At the outbreak of war he was First Secretary in Berlin, and eleven months ago was appointed foreign adviser to the B.B.C. on behalf of the Government. Son of Colonel Ivone Kirkpatrick, his ancestral home is at Donacomper, Co. Kildare, and he has completed twenty-three years in the Foreign Office.

Cinema King

By his election as Chairman of Odeon Theatres in succession to the late Mr. Oscar Deutsch, Mr. J. Arthur Rank, the millionaire miller, now becomes Britain's most powerful cinema magnate, controlling more than 600 theatres. Last October he bought out the Ostrer Brothers from the £13,000,000 Gaumont British Circuit. Mr. Rank, one of the two sons of Mr. J. V. Rank, the flour magnate, first became interested in films through the Religious Film Society, and through his good offices seven hundred churches were able to buy projectors at half-cost. He is head of Elstree, Denham, and Pinewood, Britain's three most up-to-date film studios.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

"Cathair Linn"

I am both relieved and delighted to see that the Ceol Cumann is about to make its re-appearance on the Dublin stage. It must be very nearly two years since I had the pleasure of devoting an entire issue of this Diary to its last performance—an honour which I reserve only for distinguished events. The performance will take place in the Gaiety on Sunday week, and will consist entirely of one long "dance-drama"—the Ceol Cumann professed a dislike to the term "ballet"—ranging over five acts.

As usual, its inspiration is Eamonn O Gallchobhair. I am told that some years ago he discovered a story by Michael George Crawford in a pre-last-war issue of some provincial newspaper. It is written around a legend of the Carlingford region, which in the old—the very old—days was a centre of fire worship, and told how King Carolan's daughter, devoted to serve as a priestess at the shrine of fire gods, was seen and loved by a visiting warrior prince. Their affair was detected and punished by death, and they were pitched into the adjacent volcano from which the vestal flame was annually lighted.

This is the theme—and an admirable theme, too—that O Gallchobhair has chosen as the basis for what he regards as his *opus maximum*.

It promises to be a genuinely elaborate performance. The settings are by Victor Brown, and you will obtain a dim idea of one of the costumes from the accompanying reproduction. "Cathair Linn," as the dance-drama is called, promises to be a spectacle very well worth seeing.

Autographs

I had thought that autograph-hunting was a thing of the past. I had my eyes opened in Belfast this week, as scores of eager collectors of all types and ages swarmed round the visiting radio and film star, George Formby, their books outstretched like nets for another "catch."

The enthusiasts included a waitress who works in the hotel where Formby is staying, and I doubt if many Irish folk can equal the collection she has formed of the autographs of the great and no longer great who have lived in the hotel from time to time.

Her "bag" is truly cosmopolitan, and ranges from the once-famous heavy-weight boxer, Carnera, to the Italian tenor, Gigli, and from the Western film star, Gene Autry, to Charlie Kunz and Paul Robeson.

One thing set me wondering. Women's names were sadly in the minority in the waitress's book. The only one which conveyed anything to me was that of "Princess Baba," the daughter of "The White Rajah of Sarawak," who has been prominently in the news from the Far East war front recently.

"Princess Baba" visited Belfast on her honeymoon with her husband, an all-in wrestler named Gregory, who appeared at a bout in the city.

Street Musicians

I have often been impressed by the very business-like manner in which our outdoor musical events are planned. They seem to run to a time-table, and the courtesy displayed by one street musician to another is, at times, remarkable.

The other evening two "acts" arrived almost simultaneously at the same queue. One, apparently, held precedence in time over the other, for profuse apologies were offered and accepted, and one stood aside while the other performed.

The quality of the music rendered has also improved. The musicians are, it seems, anxious to entertain and the public willing to pay for their entertainment. Bad "acts," I have noticed, bring poor receipts, while good ones are not only paid for, but are welcomed.

This is a good thing, and there really is no sound reason why talent should not receive its reward in this field as in any other.

QUIDNUNC.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, GALWAY

The Right Rev. Monsignor Hynes, M.A., B.D., LL.D., President of University College, Galway, and Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the National University of Ireland, conferred the following Degrees and other University distinctions at University College, Galway:—

B.A. Degree—Flanagan, Mary; Griffin, Timothy; Sheeran, Mary.

H.Dip. in Ed.—Flanagan, Mary; Sheeran, Mary.

Ph.D. Degree—Gaffney, Sylvester J. C., M.A.; Walsh, Richard, M.A., H.Dip.Ed.

M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. Degrees—Donovan, William; Egan, Mary A.; Fitzgerald, Mary F.; Fitzgerald, Gerald V.; Flanagan, John F.; Foody, John T.; Glynn, Angela F. M.; Joyce, Anna M.; Keogh, Mary B.; Lyden, Brendan P.; Shannon, Thomas E.; Shea, John; Simmons, Robert W.

B.Comm. Degree—Flanagan, Mary.

MANUFACTURERS' PROFITS

Are excessive profits being made by manufacturing firms in this country? According to this month's *Irish Industry* they are—but only by manufacturing firms that are openly and obviously branches of foreign manufacturing firms, or else are closely and intimately allied with such foreign firms. The vast majority of purely Irish manufacturing concerns have earned only very small profits, and in a great many cases have earned no profits whatever, says the journal. They blame for this the financial regulations made in the last Budget, which, they claim, crippled a great many interests in the country and, at the same time, facilitated and even improved the position of other firms.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	9.35	9.35
Sets	5.33	5.35
Lighting-up Time	6. 3	6. 5

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	9.10	10. 7
Evening	9.41	10.41

LUBRICATION IN STEEL CUTTING

A paper entitled "Lubrication as Applied to the Cutting of Steel," in which he described various operations and the suitability of soluble and straight-cutting oils, was read by the incoming President, Mr. J. A. Halpin, A.M.Inst.P.T., at the annual meeting of the Engineering and Scientific Association of Ireland in the Engineers' Hall, Dawson street, Dublin.

A vote of thanks to the outgoing President, Mr. Warren Storey, M.I.E.E., M.I.C.E.I., was proposed by Mr. J. A. Halpin, and seconded by Mr. E. E. Joynt, M.I.Mech.E.

DUBLIN SLANG

Mr. Brendan Glynn, Chief Assistant in the Dublin Municipal Libraries, last night gave the Old Dublin Society a second interesting talk on Dublin slang in current use in the city.

Many of the examples given were used in a play entitled "Tom and Jerry," produced in the Hawkins' Street Theatre in 1822, and printed in Dublin in the same year, and copies are now extremely rare.

The play dealt with slang in use in London during that period, and according to the history of the Theatre Royal it met with a mixed reception from Dublin audiences. It must, however, have been popular, for it was produced three times, and had left a mark on Dublin slang, many of the words in the play being still used in Dublin to-day.

Some of the examples given were "bang up," meaning "right"—for instance, "bang up to date"; "to booze"; "a duce," meaning 2d.; "to be fly"; "it's all the go"; "going it"; "half seas over"; "to hedge"; "a mag," meaning ½d., from which the current word a "make" came; "to mizzle," meaning to depart. "Scran" was an English word meaning "food," hence the phrase "bad scran to you," meaning "bad food to you."

BIRTHS, MARRI[AGES AND] DEATH[S]

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BIRTHS.

DEMPSEY—January 9, ... Hatch Street Nurs... Winifred, wife of Joh... 42 Greygates, Stillorg...

HEARN—January 4, 19... Mrs. C. D. Hearn, ... Wexford, a daughter.

HOURIHANE—January ... Leinster Nursing Hom... of Dr. J. D. Hourihan... Park, Dublin, a daug...

SHERMAN—January 8, ... toria Nursing Home, ... Joan (née Smythe), ... Sherman, A.C.A., Port...

MARRIAGE[S]

GREEN and STRATH—... 1941, at Monkstown ... by the Rev. Harold G... Green, second Lieu... Artillery, younger so... Mrs. F. E. Green, ... square, Dublin, to ... daughter of Captain ... H. Strath, 13 Lon... Monkstown, Co. Dub...

QUIN and JOHNSON—... 1941, at St. Colu... Knock, Belfast, by t... G. R. C. Olden, M.A.... Parish, assisted by th... Ford, M.A.; the ... Rothwell Quin, B.... youngest son of th... Henry Quin, and o... "Avondale," Trees ... Merrion Park, Blackro... to Helen McDougall, ... Mr. and Mrs. Charle... "Rushford," King's ... Belfast.

DEATHS.

BLUNDEN—January 10, ... Wood, Hants, after ... Florence Caroline, ... William Blunden, f... Castle Blunden, Kilk... strictly private.

BUTLER—January 11, ... residence, Church ... William Butler. Fu... to-day (Tuesday) at ...

COLEMAN—January 1... Mater Private Hom... operation), Thomas ... Moynalvey House, ... Summerhill, Co. ... beloved husband of ... Deeply and deserved... his loving wife, child... sister. R.I.P. The ... removed from the n... 3.30 (new time) to ... to Moynalvey Churc... High Mass to-morro... at 11.30 a.m. (new ... at 2 p.m. to New Ce...

DUNDON—January 1... Victoria terrace, ... beloved elder daugh... Mamie Dundon. D... by her parents, brot... R.I.P. Remains w... to St. Michael's ... (Tuesday) at 7 p.m. ... a.m., to Mount ... to-morrow (Wednes... o'clock Mass.

HARRIS O'CONNOR—... 1942, at 112 Pembr... Norah Harris O'Conn... the late Matt Har... formerly Matron, ... Mental Hospital. F... after 10 o'clock ... (Wednesday), St. Ma... road.

JENKINS—January 12, ... residence, 51 South... Dublin, late of 37 O... and late pawnbroke... John Jenkins. Deep... his loving daughters ... sons-in-law and rela... will be removed ... residence to-day (T... to St. James's R.C. C... after 10 o'c. M... (Wednesday) morni... Bridge. R.I.P.

JORDON—January 12, ... daughter's residence, ... 3rd Lock, Inchicor... Jordon. Service in S... Church this (Tuesd... 8 o'c. Funeral (priv... (Wednesday) mornin... Mount Jerome from ... the labourer's task ...

KEDDIE—January 10, ... residence, Martello ... County Dublin, J... Campbell Keddie. ... Funeral to-day (Tu... St. Fintan's 11 o'c... papers please copy.

KENNEDY—January 1... Lady's Hospice, Pete... the late Michael Ke... Kennedy, Bonnie ... road. R.I.P. Fune... Glasnevin from St. ... road, to-morrow (W... January, after 10 o...

LOWRY—January 11, ... George Herbert L... place, Kells. F... private. No flowers.

O'CONNOR—January ... Swinford, Patric... Solicitor, and Cor... Mayo. R.I.P. Solemn... 11 a.m., to-morrow ... Funeral immediat... Kilconduff.

PERRY—January 7, ... Manse, Eglish, Du... Hutcheson W. Perr... husband of Mary ... Funeral took pla... Burying Ground, ... Friday, 9th.

REDMOND—January ... home, 32 Synge ... Margaret, widow of ... Redmond. Deeply ... loving family, sons... and relatives. ... private.

SHEIL—January 11, ... father's residence, ... K. Sheil, B.A., ... beloved daughter of ... and the late Mrs... Sacred Heart of Je... on her. Remains ... yesterday (Monda... St. Patrick's Chu... Funeral from St. ... after 11 o'clock ... (Tuesday) for ... Drumree.

THORNE—January ... Southern View plac... Cork, Mary Anne T... William J. Thorne... regretted by her s... Funeral, 3 p.... (Wednesday), fro... Church to St. Fin...

TUCKER—January 1... Rathgar road (his ... James S. Tucker, L... court street, in ... Funeral arrangeme...

WEBSTER—On Sund... 1942, at a Dublin ... Rev. George L. We... of Galway and Li... leaving Methodist ... Abbey street, 1... (Tuesday) mornin...

WELDON—January ... Kellyville Park, ... Florence Caroline, ... George Weldon, ... Funeral to-day ... January, at 3 o'c., S... Maryborough. No ...

WILLIAMS—January ... Castlewood avenue ... son of the late ... (H.M.I.R., Tullamor... be removed to Chu... of Refuge, Rathmi... day) evening at ... to-morrow (Wedne... Ross (via Carlow) ... Mass. R.I.P.

ANNOUNCEMENTS ... this Column will be ...

MONTH'S ...

Charles Duggan Coyle... December, 1941. ... Masses.

IN MEMO[RIAM]

AIKIN (Jim)—A m... little, nameless, un... of kindness and of ... and N.

McCARRICK—In lov... dear Henry, Crave... who went 9th Jan...

REILLY — Third A... loving memory of ... Millextown, Ardee, ... January, 1939.

STRATFORD—In fo... memory of our ... Elizabeth Stratford ... in Jesus on the 13t... in Lurgan Hospital... father, William Str... on 19th February... residence, 26 W... Fairview, Dublin. ... to Thee."—Inserted ... sons and daughter...

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BIRTHS.

DEMPSEY—January 9, 1942, at the Hatch Street Nursing Home, to Winifred, wife of John C. Dempsey, 42 Greygates, Stillorgan road, a son.

HEARN—January 4, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hearn, Arran Cottage, Wexford, a daughter.

HOURIHANE—January 7, 1942, at Leinster Nursing Home, to Lia, wife of Dr. J. D. Hourihane, 28 Herbert Park, Dublin, a daughter.

SHERMAN—January 8, 1942, at Victoria Nursing Home, Portadown, to Joan (née Smythe), wife of W. R. Sherman, A.C.A., Portadown, a son.

MARRIAGES.

GREEN and STRATH—December 25, 1941, at Monkstown Parish Church, by the Rev. Harold G. Forde, Ernest Green, second Lieutenant, Royal Artillery, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Green, 38 Dartmouth square, Dublin, to Amy, only daughter of Captain and Mrs. B. H. H. Strath, 13 Longford terrace, Monkstown, Co. Dublin.

QUIN and JOHNSON—December 11, 1941, at St. Columba's Church, Knock, Belfast, by the Rev. Canon G. R. C. Olden, M.A., Rector of the Parish, assisted by the Rev. A. T. J. Ford, M.A.; the Rev. Thomas Rothwell Quin, B.A., R.A.F.V.R., youngest son of the late Thomas Henry Quin, and of Mrs. Quin, "Avondale," Trees road, Mount Merrion Park, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, to Helen McDougall, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Johnson, "Rushford," King's road, Knock, Belfast.

DEATHS.

BLUNDEN—January 10, 1942, at Ring Wood, Hants, after a short illness, Florence Caroline, widow of Sir William Blunden, fourth Bart. of Castle Blunden, Kilkenny. Funeral strictly private.

BUTLER—January 11, 1942, at his residence, Church road, Swords, William Butler. Funeral, 3 o'clock, to-day (Tuesday), at Swords.

COLEMAN—January 12, 1942, at the Mater Private Home (after an operation), Thomas Coleman, of Moynalvey House, Moynalvey, Summerhill, Co. Meath, dearly beloved husband of Lillah Coleman. Deeply and deservedly regretted by his loving wife, children, brother and sister. R.I.P. The remains will be removed from the nursing home at 3.30 (new time) to-day (Tuesday) to Moynalvey Church. Office and High Mass to-morrow (Wednesday) at 11.30 a.m. (new time). Funeral at 2 p.m. to New Cemetery.

DUNDON—January 12, 1942, at 6 Victoria terrace, Limerick, Joan beloved elder daughter of John and Mamie Dundon. Deeply regretted by her parents, brothers and sister. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to St. Michael's Church to-day (Tuesday) at 7 p.m. Funeral, 10.30 a.m., to Mount St. Laurence to-morrow (Wednesday), after 10 o'clock Mass.

HARRIS O'CONNOR — January 12, 1942, at 112 Pembroke road, Mrs. Norah Harris O'Connor, daughter of the late Matt Harris, M.P., and formerly Matron, Ballinasloe Mental Hospital. Funeral (private) after 10 o'clock Mass to-morrow (Wednesday), St. Mary's, Haddington road.

JENKINS—January 12, 1942, at his residence, 51 South Circular road, Dublin, late of 37 Old Kilmainham, and late pawnbroker, Granby row, John Jenkins. Deeply regretted by his loving daughters, grandchildren, sons-in-law and relatives. Remains will be removed from his late residence to-day (Tuesday), 6 o'c., to St. James's R.C. Church. Funeral after 10 o'c. Mass to-morrow (Wednesday) morning to Golden Bridge. R.I.P.

JORDON—January 12, 1942, at his daughter's residence, "Rosenallis," 3rd Lock Inchicore, William H. Jordon. Service in St. Jude's Parish Church this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'c. Funeral (private) to-morrow (Wednesday) morning at 10 o'c. to Mount Jerome from church. "Now the labourer's task is o'er."

KEDDIE—January 10, 1942, at his residence, Martello terrace, Sutton, County Dublin, John Archibald Campbell Keddie, aged 77 years. Funeral to-day (Tuesday), arriving St. Fintan's 11 o'clock. Scottish papers please copy.

KENNEDY—January 12, 1942, at Our Lady's Hospice, Peter, eldest son of the late Michael Kennedy and Mrs. Kennedy, Bonnie Glen, Botanic road. R.I.P. Funeral (private) to Glasnevin from St. Columba's, Iona road, to-morrow (Wednesday), 14th January, after 10 o'clock Mass.

LOWRY—January 11, 1942, at Belfast, George Herbert Lowry, Headfort place, Kells. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

O'CONNOR—January 12, 1942, at Swinford, Patrick O'Connor, Solicitor, and Coroner for East Mayo. R.I.P. Solemn Requiem Mass, 11 a.m., to-morrow (Wednesday). Funeral immediately after to Kilconduff.

PERRY—January 7, 1942, at The Manse, Eglish, Dungannon, Rev. Hutcheson W. Perry, B.A., beloved husband of Mary Catherine Perry. Funeral took place at Seagoe Burying Ground, Portadown, on Friday, 9th.

REDMOND—January 12, 1942, at her home, 32 Synge street, Dublin, Margaret, widow of the late Daniel Redmond. Deeply mourned by her loving family, sons and daughters and relatives. Funeral strictly private.

SHEIL—January 11, 1942, at her father's residence, Portadown, Mary K. Sheil, B.A., Barrister-at-Law, beloved daughter of P. J. Sheil, J.P., and the late Mrs. Sheil. R.I.P. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her. Remains were removed yesterday (Monday) evening to St. Patrick's Church, Portadown. Funeral from St. Patrick's Church, after 11 o'clock Mass to-day (Tuesday) for interment in Drumeree.

THORNE—January 12, 1942, at 1 Southern View place, Douglas road, Cork, Mary Anne Thorne, relict of William J. Thorne, R.I.C. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. Funeral, 3 p.m., to-morrow (Wednesday), from St. John's Church to St. Finbarr's Cemetery.

TUCKER—January 12, 1942, at 83 Rathgar road (his son's residence), James S. Tucker, L.D.S., late of Harcourt street, in his 86th year. Funeral arrangements later.

WEBSTER—On Sunday, January 11, 1942, at a Dublin nursing home, Rev. George L. Webster, M.A., late of Galway and Limerick. Funeral leaving Methodist Church, Lower Abbey street, 10 o'clock, this (Tuesday) morning.

WELDON—January 12, 1942, at 1 Kellyville Park, Maryborough, Florence Caroline, widow of the late George Weldon, Seattle, U.S.A. Funeral to-day (Tuesday), 13th January, at 3 o'c., St. Peter's Church, Maryborough. No flowers.

WILLIAMS—January 12, 1942, at 29 Castlewood avenue, Martin, second son of the late W. G. Williams (H.M.I.R., Tullamore). Remains will be removed to Church of Our Lady of Refuge, Rathmines, this (Tuesday) evening at 6.30. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday) to New Ross (via Carlow) after 9 o'clock Mass. R.I.P.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 2.

MONTH'S MIND.

Charles Dussan Coyle, P.C., died 10th December, 1941. R.I.P. Prayers, Masses.

IN MEMORIAM.

AIKIN (Jim)—A memory of "his little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love."—D. M. A. and N.

McCARRICK—In loving memory of dear Henry, Craven Lodge, Essex, who went 9th January, 1935.—Nell.

REILLY — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Joseph M. Reilly, Millextown, Ardee, who died 13th January, 1939.

STRATFORD—In fond and loving memory of our dear mother, Elizabeth Stratford, who fell asleep in Jesus on the 13th January, 1936, in Lurgan Hospital; also our dear father, William Stratford, who died on 19th February, 1915, at his residence, 26 Waverley avenue, Fairview, Dublin. "Rest, my God, to Thee."—Inserted by his loving sons and daughters.

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Under the title Psalm 106, Verse 23, Dr. J. H. Pollock gave an account of the life of some of his forebears in the Dublin of 1880 or so. He dealt in particular with the career of his uncle, Nicholas Purdon Pollock, who, entering the Merchant Service at the age of 14, rose to be captain of the s.s. India, a crack vessel of her time, and the property of the then flourishing P. and O. Company.

He read extracts from Captain Pollock's log, and told how, although incapacitated by illness, he had struggled to the captain's bridge to pilot the ship through some narrow and dangerous strait in Far Eastern waters, for which service some native Eastern potentate, a passenger in the menaced vessel, had conferred a decoration upon him.

Dr. Pollock drew a picture of Captain Pollock's mother—his own grandmother—saying that, although the reputation of those Victorians had suffered to some extent at the hands of posterity, he could not allow the occasion to pass without acknowledging to the full his personal indebtedness to their example, particularly in relation to two sterling characteristics exhibited by them in a superlative degree—integrity and tenacity of purpose.

Professor Magennis presided.

THREE HURT IN MOTOR CRASH

Three occupants of a private motor car were taken to the Mater Misericordiæ Hospital last night in the Fire Brigade Ambulance for treatment when their car collided with an obstruction at the Tolka Bridge. They were:—Miss Connie Dillon, aged 25, of 11 Palmerston road, who sustained cuts on her leg and suffered from shock; Mr. J. McEntagart, aged 40, Dunfirth, Butterfield avenue, Rathfarnham, cut forehead and shock; and Mr. Ivor Cope, aged 28, 64 Park avenue, Sandymount, cut mouth, injury to ribs and shock. After treatment at the hospital they were allowed to go home.

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CRUISKEEN LAWN

By MYLES NA gCOPALEEN

Ní tóisí liom go bfuil floinneadh air dic i mBaile Átha Cliath coimh-ionúnach le la Touche. Hugenots boo eadh iad a táinic go héireann fadó, a bunuig banne agus a d'éirig mior Héireannála ná na héireannaig iqrir. Tá aithe agam ar la Touche amáin agus tá saoisig maic aige.

Má póraim duine de fliocc la Touche agus má bponncan clann air, Touchemigteoir a beidean fearca air.

Maidir le cúpral banncaigeacta, Touche mate leat na h-oibre.

Cá bfior dúinn nach ón focal ro a feidean "touch" nap Béarla an iarracc airgid?

AMAIDÉ!

Tagair a bfuil nárdce agus reiloóca le leat-céad bliain anuas ar aicid an cúigeacair agus an bocap acá innci mairdin le saedeodaine na teangad macapóa, braicim piopa fuimiúil le Seagán Mac Meannan ar "Ultac" na miopa ro caipc. Féac nac Seán acá againn, bíod go bfuil 1942 ann, acc "Seagán." Tá ré as comainlid an tuéc leigce an "Saeóilg na n-Ultac a'r Scriobad na Teanga." Seo reoo amáin:

"Ni abnann cainneoin maic an bic inr an Tuairceapt ni'l.' Deir riad uilig 'ni fuil' . . . 'Ni fuil' a reiloócal i gcomhnuide noithe reo. Map rin de, cleacc-amuipc é a'r ná bimipc as déanam aicnipe an na daoine ná an na h-áiteacá acá ag rpolaó na teangca. . ."

Agur reo cheopú eile von macléiginn:

"Na reiloó a coióce 'bfuil ré' gan 'an' a cur rompa. . . . 'Ana maic,' 'ana mór,' 'ana beag': fágcap an cnuaillugad rin inr an dic a bfuapcar é agur rin an Deirceapc."

Agur maidir le "a coióce" fágcap an cnuaillid rin ran dic a bfuapcar é freirin. San cpáéc an "na teangca."

Agur éirc le reo:

"Da ceapc 'Cáiread Uladh' a reiloóad i gcomhnuide. Ni fuil i 'gcúige acc Muimheacar agur an cuid ir mó gaibe de."

Agur cá aodan cúigeacair, ir rollur, fid aimsin i scúpral clódóireacca:

"Macad an an dream acá ag iarraid deimead a cur le 'n' beag a'r 'r' beag. 'Cuipre' an cumad ceapc a'r ni 'cuirse.' An rean-gnáp ir feárr agur ir deire. Eccentrics Daile Áca Cliac agur Concaige acá ag iarraid na rean-licneáca a thilead ag péroiugad an bealaig do phonetic spelling na Saolainne. Ni cluimhio go bfuil movement an dic i Sarain le deimead a cur le licneáca beaga an Déapla!"

Acc cá ra Seapmáin, a cara. Agur ná tabair "Seagán" orc féin a cuillead. "Seagán" adeir na cainneoini maice i gceann-tár tir Conaill.

"Seagagán" adeipeap i nSleann Colaim Cille agur "Seagagagagagán" i nSopc a' Coipce.

Tá laimpeóinn Ulcac agam agur cpácc innci an "Seagagagagagagán Durdurdurdurdurdurdurde."

Ir mór an cruaig go bfuil paipéar ann.

FOCAIL AGUS FOCLA.

Má tá cá daipiúil i dtaob an Saeleacair ni ólfaió cú do cuid leanna fearca ar Sloinne. Ni paib Sloiní ag na rean-Saeóil inr an am gur ólaoan i néirinn beoir. Daineadar feirm ar an gcpáirín. Cpáirín rcáin adeir acá amannaí. "Will you rcáin me a drink?" adeipeap go oci an lá ro i gCopca Dopca.

Ma'r ar cruaid acá an cpáirín déanca, deipeap "cruaidpirin" air.

AS FEACAINT SIAR.

"Tá an fear as ól; tá cupán i n-a láimh aige. Tá fó-cupán agur rpunóg aige freirin, acc ni i n-a láimh atá riad rin aige. Tá an fó-cupán an an mbopd aige, agur tá an rpunóg inr an bfó-cupán. Ni cupán ná fó-cupán as an mbuacaill beag, acc tá apán i n-a láimh aige, agur é as ice. Tá an bean i n-a rearam agur poca an cae i n-a láimh aici. Ni asam-ra ná agac-ra ná as an acáin ná as an mbuacaill beag atá poca an cae, acc as an macáin. Tá an t-acáin agur an macáin agur an buacaill beag as ice agur as ól. Tá apán agur im agur cae aca. Ni agamn-ne ná agaib-re acá an t-acáin agur an t-im agur an cae, acc aca-pan."

—"An Claideam Solup," 1907.

CHARGES AGAINST A STATE SOLICITOR

Ronald H. Brown, State Solicitor, Co. Kildare, appeared on a number of charges of gross indecency, in the Dublin Circuit Criminal Court yesterday, before Judge Davitt and a jury.

Mr. J. A. McCarthy, K.C., with Mr. C. Murnaghan (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), prosecuted; Mr. McCracken, K.C. (instructed by Mr. E. H. Burne) defended.

Mr. McCarthy said that, including the alternatives, there were sixteen charges in the indictment, six of which were laid in Dublin, one in a hotel in Wicklow, and the balance in Sligo and Donegal.

The hearing was adjourned until to-day.

"MARINERS EARNING BIG MONEY"

(BEFORE THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT.)

Security for costs was fixed at £50, to be given by Joaquim Egula, a Basque, in his action against the owners of the motor vessel Trinidad, registered at Panama, for £305 salary, maintenance, and fare and expenses from Dublin to London, alleged to be due to him, and alternatively as damages for alleged wrongful dismissal from his position as master of the vessel.

The owners denied that he had been wrongfully dismissed.

Mr. Richard Cherry (instructed by Messrs. Hayes and Sons), who appeared for the owners, asked that the amount should be £150. The owners, he said, had lodged £305 in court, in addition to £150 as security for costs.

Mr. E. S. Robinson (instructed by Messrs. Maxwell, Weldon and Co.) for Joaquim Egula, suggested £30 or £40.

Mr. Cherry said that the man had been paid his wages up to the date of his leaving—£305 for three months, so that he was not a poor man. Mariners were earning big money—he did not say that they did not deserve it—and one might assume that he was earning as much now, or more.

The Master directed that the money should be lodged in court within four weeks, in default the action to be dismissed.

SHOPLIFTING AND HOUSEBREAKING

In the Dublin District Court yesterday, before District Justice McCarthy, Kathleen Keeley (19), 5 Hutton's place, Dublin, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment for the larceny of wearing apparel, value over £30, from the shops of Messrs. Arnotts and Messrs. Switzers, Dublin.

Mr. Liam Trant McCarthy, solicitor, defended.

Guard Madigan and Policewoman O'Neill were in the case.

Kevin Coghlan (18), Pearse terrace, Dublin, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment when charged with housebreaking offences and thefts of sums of money totalling £7 from gas meters.

Mr. Liam Trant McCarthy, solicitor, defended.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Tuesday, January 13.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS UACHTARACH.
(The Supreme Court.)
At 11 o'clock. For Hearing—Napier Equipments, Ltd., and another v. O'Kelly; the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Hanlon.

CLARATHOIR NA gCOIMICRITHE CUIRTE.
(The Registrar of Wards of Court.)
Before Mr. Donovan, at 11 o'clock—Vouch of accounts, A. J. and A. Robinson.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS.
(The High Court.)
In Court 1. The Hon. the President, the Hon. Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy, the Hon. Mr. Justice Maguire, at 11 o'clock. On Notice—1, the State at the prosecution of George Plant, Joseph O'Connor, Patrick Davern and Michael Walsh v. Commandant Michael Lennon and others—Habeas Corpus, and Prohibition, and in the matter of the Courts of Justice Acts and of the Constitution—Notice dated 2nd January, 1942. On the conclusion of the above the following cases will be listed:—On Notice—1, the State (O'Connor) v. Monaghan U.D.C. (Certiorari); 2, the State (Galvin) v. Minister for Local Government and Public Health (Certiorari and Mandamus). Special Case Stated—3, Cleeve and others, applts.; City Manager of Limerick and Commissioners of Valuation, respdts.

In Court 6. Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Black, at 11 o'clock. Actions (part heard)—Somers v. Erskine; same v. Good. Summons—Fox v. Dardis.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA.
(The Taxing Master's Office.)
Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Burrows v. Minister for Finance, Fetherstonhaugh and Carter; Minister for Agriculture v. Hemingway and others, Crowley, Bolger and Cusack; Long v. Long, C. A. Boyle; Kelleher, decd.—W. D. Mockler; O'Brien v. Holland, M. Powell.

Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock—Fonby, decd.—J. R. Barry; Delmege v. O'Grady, S. S. and E. Reeves.

OIFIG AN SCRUDORA.
(The Examiner's Office.)
Before Mr. Adderley. Room 104. At 11 o'clock—Agricultural Credit Corporation, Ltd., v. Upton; Jennings v. McGrath; Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Tutty; J. P. Collins, deceased, Flynn v. Collins.

Before Mr. Greville. Room 103. At 11 o'clock—Rev. Canon T. Boland, deceased, Boland v. Harte; Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. O'Shea; Cos. Acts and Fodhla Printing Co., Ltd.; E. Smith, deceased, Vanston v. Smith.

Before Mr. Murtagh. Room 108. At 11 o'clock—Sampson v. Nealon.

COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA h-EIREANN.
(Irish Land Commission.)
At Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion Square.
Before Mr. Sullivan. At 11 o'clock—Estate of J. C. Davis, vouch.

Before Mr. Ryan. At 11 o'clock—Estate of Colonel Hervey, vouch.

Before Mr. Jackson. At 3 o'clock—Estate of Yates, vouch retainer.

Before Mr. Tyrrell. At 11 o'clock—Estate of Nicholas Rice, vouch. At 3.30 o'clock—Estate of the Rev. Fel. J. Byrne, discharge ruling and settle schedule.

CIRCUIT CRIMINAL COURT.
Green Street Courthouse, Dublin.
This day at 11 o'clock a.m. Unsworn Jurors Nos. 1 to 150, need not attend until to-morrow (Wednesday), the 14th inst. Jurors Nos. 151 to 300 need not attend until Monday next, 19th inst.

AN CLARATHOIR CONTAE.
(The County Registrar.)
At 12.30 o'clock. Taxation of Costs—Fox v. Dublin County Council; Stafford v. Chance and others. Equity—O'Beirne and another v. O'Beirne.

DUBLIN TENANCY CASE

OBJECTION TO A JEW

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE GAVAN DUFFY.

Reserved judgment was given, with costs, affirming an Order of Circuit Court Judge Sharpe in favour of Mrs. Teresa Schlegel, 7 Harrington street, Dublin, that an assignment of three rooms in her house, by Kevin Corcoran, solicitor, Upper Ormond quay, Dublin, personal representative of his brother, John, to Nathaniel Gros, was in effective, and had no binding force on her.

In the course of his judgment, Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy said that Mrs. Schlegel, as executrix of her husband, Henry, dentist, assigned the goodwill of his practice to the late John Corcoran by a deed of April 18, 1929. By tenancy agreement she let three furnished rooms on the hall floor to Mr. Corcoran for three years, after which the tenancy was to become a yearly tenancy, terminable in any month by six months' notice on either side. The tenant bound himself to use the rooms solely for dental practice, and not to assign or sublet without the landlord's previous consent in writing.

By Section 56 (2) of the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1931, the agreement was to be read subject to a proviso that the landlord's consent to an assignment "shall not be unreasonably withheld."

Mrs. Schlegel sued to establish her right to refuse to recognise an assignment by Kevin Corcoran to Mr. Gros, who had bought the dental practice, and who was a Jew.

Mr. John Corcoran died in September, 1940, and in March, 1941, his administrator proposed Mr. Gros, the purchaser of the practice, as assignee of the tenancy. Mrs. Schlegel refused her consent, but Mr. Corcoran, treating her refusal as unreasonable, executed an assignment to Mr. Gros of "whatever interest I may have" in the tenancy agreement. Mr. Gros thereupon put up his plate, and had been in practice at 7 Harrington street since.

The question was whether Mrs. Schlegel had unreasonably refused her consent to the assignment of the tenancy.

Mrs. Schlegel, like her husband, was Irish and a Catholic, and on ascertaining that Mr. Gros was a Jew she at once refused her consent, because, she explained, "their principles are not ours; they are anti-Christian, and I could not have an anti-Christian living in the house where I live." She told Mr. Corcoran that she would have to leave the house if Mr. Gros came in.

Mrs. Schlegel's objection represented, as he found, a genuine and deep-rooted feeling. Her objection had been characterised as a caprice, and as mere prejudice; but caprice was not the right word for an anti-Semitism, which, far from being a particular crotchet, was notoriously shared by a number of other citizens. If that was prejudice, the antagonism between Christian and Jew had its roots in nearly 2,000 years of history, and was too prevalent as a habit of mind to be dismissed off-hand in a country where religion mattered, as the eccentric extravagance of a bigot, without regard to the actual conditions under which consent was withheld, and he failed to see the supposed connection between the problem before Mrs. Schlegel and the constitutional veto upon any discrimination by the State on the ground of religious belief.

The answer to the question whether Mrs. Schlegel was playing the part of a bad citizen when, from anti-Semitic bias, she refused her consent to the assignment, could not disregard the paramount consideration in that particular case: the fact that in giving her consent she would be taking order, as the expressive old phrase had it, for the occupation of her own house, for the tenancy of three furnished rooms in the residence where she had had her home for 27 years, and still had her home. Her relations with the new tenant would be far from intimate, but the new tenant would be installed on the hall floor, and the contacts might be close enough materially to affect her amenities if he was, from her standpoint, a most undesirable participator in the narrow shelter of her roof.

"Amenities," said Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy, "are the salt of life, and though they defy definition they may fairly be taken to comprise all the factors that go to make one's home a happy and pleasant refuge, and to any woman who cares for her home the amenities are of real importance."

He held that Mrs. Schlegel, "in her honest effort to defend the amenities of her residence," was entitled to the protection of the Court.

Mr. Lavery, K.C., and Mr. William Fitzgerald (instructed by Messrs. Corrigan and Corrigan) appeared for Mrs. Schlegel; Mr. Costello, K.C., and Mr. Sherry (instructed by Messrs. John S. O'Connor and Co.) for Mr. Corcoran; and Mr. Joseph A. McCarthy, K.C., and Mr. Desmond Bell (instructed by Mr. Michael Noyk) for Mr. Gros.

LONGFORD WILL SUIT

(BEFORE THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT.)

An Order was made fixing for trial before a judge sitting without a jury, on the three ordinary issues, a suit in which Patrick Bartley, Ballymimion, Longford, sought, as executor, to establish the will of February 9, 1941, of Thomas Bartley, Market square, Longford, who died on February 4, 1941.

Mr. Oliver Gogarty (instructed by Mr. Patrick J. Cranellan), who appeared for Mr. Bartley, said that a caveat had been entered by Mr. Michael Walsh, 7 Lower Pembroke street, Dublin, who was interested in the will in his capacity as administrator of a deceased next-of-kin (Mary Ann Walsh), and Mr. Walsh had served notice of his intention only to cross-examine witnesses.

Mr. Kevin Kenny (instructed by Mr. H. J. Fitzpatrick) appeared for Mr. Walsh.

WOOL

BRADFORD.—Fair amount of new business is being offered in hand-knitting yarns, but buyers find it difficult to get promise of delivery before end of February. Labour shortage is so acute that spinners are unable to extend current commitments. Yarn pieces show good deal of variation, with trend all the time against the buyer.

STOCK MARKET REPORTS

DUBLIN UNCERTAIN

YAM SENG RUBBERS SLUMP

Trading was only of moderate dimensions on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and interest was confined to certain groups. Rails were fairly busy, but the trend was undecided. Textiles continued to the fore, and price movements generally favoured holders.

Rails attracted a good deal of attention. Great Northern Ord. advanced to 13⅞, but the Pref. gave way to 32. The Gtd. hardened a shade, and the Deb. rose to 68 x.d. Great Southern were dull; the Gtd. fell 4 point to 40½ and the Deb. drooped at 58 x.d.

Dublin Transport Ord. added pence at 16/6, but Alliance Gas Ord. shaded off to 19/11½. Merchants' Warehousing Ord. advanced 1/6 to 42/6, and Yam Seng Rubbers slumped from 2/0½ to 6d. because of the company's interests in the Malay States.

Tobaccos were dull. B.A.T. Ord. quoted 85/3 x.d., and Imperials were lowered to 132/4½.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—5 p.c. Second National Loan (under £200) (112½) 112⅛; 3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (under £200) 103⅜; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (107) 107; do. (under £200) (106¾) 106⅝; 3¼ p.c. National Security (100⅞) 101 101; do. (£70 'paid') (1) 1¼ *1 prem.; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (under £200) (112½) 112⅜; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (under £200) (105) 105; 2½ p.c. Consols (82⅞) 82; 3½ p.c. War Loan (105) 105⅛ 105; do. (under £200) (104⅞) 104⅛; 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan (Deed) 106⅞.

CORPORATION STOCKS—Dublin 3½ p.c. 1955/80 (100) *100; do. 4 p.c. 1955/60 (103¾) 103⅝b; do. 4¼ p.c. 1955/77 (106) *106.

BANKS—Bank of Ireland (307) 307; Hibernian (35/3) 35/3; National (36/-) 36/3.

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES—Guinness Ord. (90/-) 89/6 *89/9 89/6.

SHIPPING—Grand Canal Ord. (58/-) 58/-.

RAILS, TRANSPORT AND GAS—Great Northern Ord. (13⅛) 13⅞; do. Pref. (32½) 32; do. Guar. (52) 52¼; do. Deb. (70) 68 x.d.; Great Southern Guar. (41½) *40½; do. Deb. (61) 58 xd.; Dublin Transport Ord. (16/-) 16/6; Alliance Gas Ord. (19/4½) *19/11½.

COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA h-EIREANN. (Irish Land Commission.)
At Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion Square.
Before Mr. Sullivan. At 11 o'clock—Estate of J. C. Davis, vouch.

Before Mr. Ryan. At 11 o'clock—Estate of Colonel Hervey, vouch.

Before Mr. Jackson. At 3 o'clock—Estate of Yates, vouch retainer.

Before Mr. Tyrrell. At 11 o'clock—Estate of Nicholas Rice, vouch. At 3.30 o'clock—Estate of the Rev. Fel. J. Byrne, discharge ruling and settle schedule.

CIRCUIT CRIMINAL COURT,
Green Street Courthouse, Dublin.
This day at 11 o'clock a.m. Unsworn Jurors Nos. 1 to 150, need not attend until to-morrow (Wednesday), the 14th inst. Jurors Nos. 151 to 300 need not attend until Monday next, 19th inst.

AN CLARATHOIR CONTAE.
(The County Registrar.)
At 12.30 o'clock. Taxation of Costs—Fox v. Dublin County Council; Stafford v. Chance and others. Equity—O'Beirne and another v. O'Beirne.

DUBLIN TENANCY CASE

OBJECTION TO A JEW

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE GAVAN DUFFY.

Reserved judgment was given, with costs, affirming an Order of Circuit Court Judge Sharpe in favour of Mrs. Teresa Schlegel, 7 Harrington street, Dublin, that an assignment of three rooms in her house, by Kevin Corcoran, solicitor, Upper Ormond quay, Dublin, personal representative of his brother, John, to Nathaniel Gros, was in effective, and had no binding force on her.

In the course of his judgment, Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy said that Mrs. Schlegel, as executrix of her husband, Henry, dentist, assigned the goodwill of his practice to the late John Corcoran by a deed of April 18, 1929. By tenancy agreement she let three furnished rooms on the hall floor to Mr. Corcoran for three years, after which the tenancy was to become a yearly tenancy, terminable in any month by six months' notice on either side. The tenant bound himself to use the rooms solely for dental practice, and not to assign or sublet without the landlord's previous consent in writing.

By Section 56 (2) of the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1931, the agreement was to be read subject to a proviso that the landlord's consent to an assignment "shall not be unreasonably withheld."

Mrs. Schlegel sued to establish her right to refuse to recognise an assignment by Kevin Corcoran to Mr. Gros, who had bought the dental practice, and who was a Jew.

Mr. John Corcoran died in September, 1940, and in March, 1941, his administrator proposed Mr. Gros, the purchaser of the practice, as assignee of the tenancy. Mrs. Schlegel refused her consent, but Mr. Corcoran, treating her refusal as unreasonable, executed an assignment to Mr. Gros of "whatever interest I may have" in the tenancy agreement. Mr. Gros thereupon put

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